

FISCAL NOTE

HB 817 - SB 1318

March 18, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Prevents a parent whose rights as a parent have been terminated from obtaining a copy of a child's report card and any other records customarily available to parents; changes the date from February 1 to March 1 that the Textbook Commission shall publish a list of textbooks for use in the schools of Tennessee.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Assumptions:

- The volume of requests received from non-custodial parents at the local level would comprise less than one percent of the total number of report cards traditionally mailed by districts per year.
- Delaying the publishing of the textbook list by one month would not alter state resources used to publish this list.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" and last name "White" clearly distinguishable.

James W. White, Executive Director

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